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Application No. 10/612,478
Amendment Dated February 16, 2007
Reply to Final Office Action Dated January 17, 2007



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Confirmation No. : 3126
Applicants : Allon G. Engلمان *et al.*
Filed : July 2, 2003
Title : Gaming Machine Having A
Community Game With Side Wagering

TC/A.U. : 3714
Examiner : Dat Nguyen
Docket No. : 47079-00207USPT
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION
DATED JANUARY 17, 2007

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated January 17, 2007. The shortened statutory period for response is three months from the mailing date, *i.e.*, by April 17, 2007, and this response is being filed within that time period. Please enter the following remarks into the record for this application.

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